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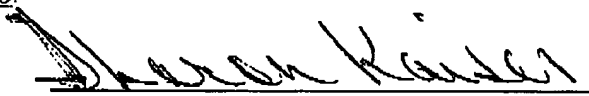
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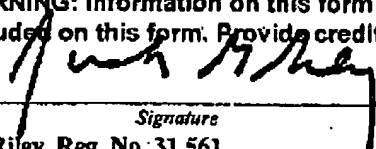
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Invention: DRINK CONTAINER WITH MOLDED STRAW AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE						
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Dear Sir:

In response to an outstanding office action dated August 17, 2005, applicant amends the above-referenced application in the following manner: